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SUBJ: SOVIET NAVAL VESSEL ENTER HAVANA HARBOR

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SOVIET NAVAL VESSEL, APPARENTLY UNARMED AND FESTOONED WITH
NUMEROUS ANTENNAS OF VARIOUS TYPES, ENTERED HAVANA HARBOR,
MORNING FEBRUARY 24. VESSEL IS PAINTED GRAY-WHITE AND
NUMBER/NAME ARE NOT EASILY READABLE. VESSEL IS TIED UP AT
DOCK ON DOWNTOWN SIDE OF HAVANA HARBOR. CONCEIVABLY, VISIT
MAY BE RELATED TO SOVIET ARMED FORCES' ANNIVERSARY.
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END OF MESSAGE

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